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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

APPLICATION OF ) GROUP: 1754  
GÜNTHER LINDE ET AL )  
SERIAL NO.: 09/646,450 ) EXAMINER: STEVEN J. BOS  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 14, 2000 )  
TITLE: COMPACTED CARBON BLACK PELLETS )

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Appellants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the  
Office Action of the Examiner dated June 16, 2003

in which Claims 20, 21, 23-25, 27-29, and 31-34 were ☒ finally rejected.  
☐ twice rejected.

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- ☐ Enclosed
- ☐ NOT REQUIRED - Examiner reopened prosecution after fee was paid in earlier appeal which did not result in a decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and interferences.
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